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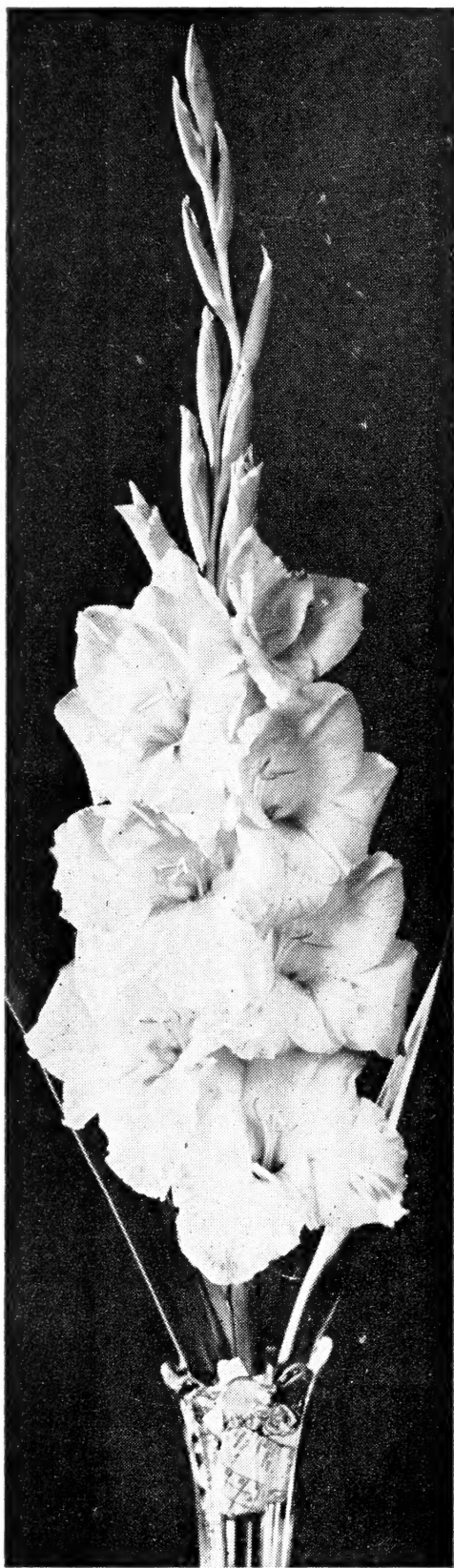


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# GOLDEN GARDENS *SUPERIOR* **GLADIOLUS**

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## *Greetings*

To our many friends and customers we wish to extend our thanks for their patronage and favors in the past. We appreciate your business and are grateful for your support and consideration. We are very much encouraged and intend to carry on. We hope to supply you at all times with the finest of glads. Every glad offered in our list is superior in every respect. All are beautiful, exquisite, fine, tall growing modern varieties of recent introduction. They are selected from lists of the world's best hybridists, and all of them have been winners at recent state or national gladiolus exhibitions throughout the nation. They have real beauty and refinement and will make you proud when you grow them and show them. They are indeed a great addition to any garden as each variety listed has merit and is worthy of your consideration. Get started with some of these new and modern varieties of glads and you will surely become a glad fan if you have not done so already.

**LOCATION:** Golden Gardens are located in "The Garden Spot of the World," Southeastern Pennsylvania. Parkesburg is forty-four miles west of Philadelphia, and twenty-two miles east of Lancaster along the P. R. R. main line. Soil, climate, rainfall, in fact growing conditions, here are unsurpassed. I believe it is impossible to produce better bulbs anywhere. We are situated one mile west of Parkesburg.

From time to time we will continue to offer the best from growers and hybridizers from all over the world.

**GUARANTEE:** We guarantee all our stock to be healthy, vigorous, free from thrips and true to name. We want you to be satisfied. If, for any reason, bulbs are not satisfactory when you receive them we will replace them or make a satisfactory settlement but not exceeding the purchase price of the bulbs. All quotations are subject to prior sale. If any stock is unsatisfactory tell us and we will try to satisfy you. If you like our bulbs and our service tell your friends.

**ORDER EARLY:** We urge that you place your order early so that you may not be disappointed. Our stock of some varieties is small due to the labor shortage and conditions beyond our control. As conditions improve and labor and facilities improve we will have larger stock. We do not like to fill orders received later than May 15. Small bulbs and bulblets, May 1st. We are usually planting after that date. So we will not promise to fill orders after these dates even if we have the stock. But we will try. Orders are segregated as soon as possible when received and shipment will be made as soon as possible, weather conditions considered, or will be shipped at the time designated in your order. No substitutions will be made without your permission. If we are out of a variety you order, your money will be refunded unless you give us permission to substitute in size or variety. If so we will substitute the nearest color, size, and price range that we have in stock.

**PREPAID CASH PRICES** All orders from this list will be prepaid to points in the United States if the order amounts to three dollars or more. Please do not ask us to send an order C. O. D. unless you make a deposit of at least twenty-five per cent.

**GOLDEN GARDENS GIVE GOLDEN MEASURE** We always give some extra and will be pleased to have you mention any extra that you would like. We shall be governed accordingly.

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**CLASSIFICATION** Instead of written descriptions I am listing my glads according to the North American Classification Committee as published by The North American Gladiolus Council, with the exception of newer introductions which I am taking the liberty to describe. In addition to the floret sizes, color classes, name of the originator, year of introduction and number of days to bloom I am also stating the number of florets usually open at one time in good condition. This information is not entirely complete but I believe it is a step in the right direction. Future tabulations may contain additional information as to the number of buds in color, length of flower head, length of entire plant, etc. Of course soil, climate, and variations in seasons may have considerable bearing on the performance of all plant life and with flowers we are dealing with nature's products rather than mechanical problems. Therefore we must consider flowers as they are and try to make improvements to suit our desires through selection and breeding. This is our aim. We have accomplished much. Let us go forward and try to make our world more beautiful with new, better and more beautiful gladiolus.

SIZES

Miniature Glads 100—Florets under 2½".      Medium Glads 300—Above 3¼" through 4¼".  
Small      Glads 200—2½" through 3¼".      Large      Glads 400—Above 4¼" through 5½".  
Giant Glads 500—Above 5½"

COLOR SERIES

Class		Class	
00 White	00 without conspicuous marking	50 Red	50 (Light)
White	01 with conspicuous marking	Red	52 (Deep)
Cream	06 W. O. W. C. M.	Red	54 (Black)
10 Yellow	10 (Light)	60 Rose	60 (Light)
Yellow	12 (Deep)	Rose	62 (Deep)
Buff	16 W. O. W. C. M.	Lavender	66 W. O. W. C. M.
20 Orange	20 (Light)	70 Purple	70 W. O. W. C. M.
Orange	22 (Deep)	Violet	76 (Light)
Orange	24 (Red O.)	Violet	78 (Deep)
30 Salmon	30 (Light)	80 Smokey shades	W. O. W. C. M.
Salmon	32 (Deep)	Smokey	82 (Orange, Smokey)
Scarlet	36 W. O. W. C. M.	Smokey	83 (Salmon Smokey)
40 Pink	40 (Light)	Smokey	84 (Pink Smokey)
Pink	41 (Light) W. C. M.	Smokey	85 (Red Smokey)
Pink	42 (Deep)	Smokey	86 (Lavender Smokey)
		90	Any other color.

W. O. W. C. M. stands for With or Without Conspicuous Marking.

KEY TO VARIETY LIST

Size and color classes are indicated by the code number; the first figure indicates a size group, while the last two digits give the color class. (See color table above). Name of the originator, usually abbreviated, follows the variety name. Next follows the year the variety was first available to American purchasers, and after that, for many of the varieties, will be found the number of growing days required from planting to date of blooming. The number of days to bloom is usually figured for large bulbs; medium sized bulbs usually require from 5 to 7 days longer to bloom. Because of variations in climate, the number of days required for a particular variety to bloom may vary by several days. However, the listed blooming dates will give a fair approximation of what to expect of a variety.

CULTURE

Gladiolus are easy to grow and should be grown by every one. Thrip, which has been the greatest draw back among amateur growers, is largely a thing of the past as it is easily controlled with D.D.T. dust or spray. Plant them in the garden in the sunlight like you would plant most any garden vegetable or flower, about five inches deep and five inches apart in rows about two feet apart where they can be hoed and weeded and they will grow. Full and complete cultural instructions will be sent with your order,—Just ask for cultural directions.

# GOLDEN GARDENS GLADIOLUS

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## CONCERNING THE ORIGINAL GLADIOLUS

Our colorful and popular groupe of large flowered gladiolus is distinctly a modern development.

They are the result of a great deal of painstaking effort of plant breeders, from all parts of the world, over a long period of time. They have been derived from perhaps about a dozen different species of wild gladiolus originating in South Africa, where they are commonly called painted ladies, although there are known to be nearly two hundred species, some of which are native of Europe and Asia.

Some of the members of this diverse group of "sword lillies" as they were called in the olden times, had their homes in the very cradle of civilization, Mesopotamia. From there they extended into the Mediteranian region and into southern Europe. Thus the gladiolus was well known to the people of Rome, Greece, and the Holyland, and were probably the lillies of the field referred to in the Bible. The main center of origin however was South Africa as is the case with so many of our other finer cultivated plants.

The first gladiolus were brought to America before the revolutionary war, but it was not until after the Civil War that interest grew and hybridizing was begun.

In 1887 over four hundred varieties of gladiolus were exhibited in Philadelphia at the Centennial Exposition.

Present day gladiolus are the result of the selection of a very few from countless millions of seedlings. One would hardly believe that our present day varieties of gladiolus came from the plants of a few decades ago. Viewing a grand champion bloom at one of our present day state gladiolus exhibitions one would perhaps believe that the evolution has reached its height but modern hybridizers feel that they have only begun. One can hardly imagine what the future may have in store; what new colors, as a real "blue" for instance. What new forms can we expect, perhaps some like cups, others like saucers. Some double like a rose, some with spurs like columbine, some shaped like butterflies, or some like orchids. One can hardly conceive the gladiolus of the future.

From the four corners of the Earth have come the contributions to our modern gladiolus. Following are some of the chief contributors.

LEMOINE—France. Who did much of the early work in developing the modern gladiolus, noted for breeding blotched varieties.

KELWAY—England. Noted for developing vigor and strength in gladiolus.

PFITZER—Germany. Noted for his violet and blue varieties.

ERREY—Australia. Noted for developing size. Big gladiolus.

KUNDRED and PRESTGARD—United States. Developed ruffled varieties.

PALMER—Canada. Picardy . . . That world famous variety, the progenitor of so many of our new modern varieties of gladiolus, as well as a number of very fine mutants, or sports.

In our great land of scientific research the plant breeders of our beloved United States are now in the lead.

Picardy, introduced in 1931, has been the parent of many fine varieties of gladiolus such as ABEGAIL, GENERAL DOUGLAS MacARTHUR, JOURNEY'S END, SILVER STAR, SPOTLIGHT, SUNSPOT, etc. and such wonderful Picardy sports as LEADING LADY, SILVER WINGS, LADY LUCK, SPRINGTIME, KELSEY, BERNADETTE, PROSPERITY, BRANDYWINE, EASTERN STAR, WESTERN STAR, and others.

It was the variety Picardy that threw the national spotlight of garden interest on the gladiolus. It was Picardy that helped make the gladiolus our national flower. It also helped make the million dollar gladiolus industry of Florida, and enhanced the interest generally in gladiolus as a commercial flower.

## COLOR SPORTS OF GLADIOLUS

When you purchase any variety that has originated as a color sport such as the above named sports, you must expect to find from time to time, plants that are identical in color to that of the parent variety, from which it is the offspring, or sport. Many of our modern gladiolus varieties produce color sports. I grow at least 25 different color sports of the variety Picardy. These color sports of Picardy are more or less the same as the parent except coloring. There are but few radical differences, although some seem to inherit even better qualities than the parent, and produce better more disease resistant varieties, others seem to produce somewhat larger spikes with larger florets, while some are a trifle smaller than the parent. However, for this reason you must expect to find identical Picardy plants in bloom in any variety of Picardy sport. Some sports produce more of the original and some less. I have seen them with half the florets on the spike "white" and half the color of the original Picardy. I have also seen florets with half the petals white and half the color of the original Picardy. Seedlings do not revert to the parent color, but sports do revert. Therefore you may find some few identical Picardy when your Picardy sports bloom, as all Picardy sports will occasionally produce Picardy. This may be the answer to the ever popular question, "Do gladiolus revert?" If sports . . . "Yes." If seedlings . . . "No."

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### COMMERCIAL GLADIOLUS

What is a commercial variety? What is its uses and who uses it? From the standpoint of color which is the first consideration, its color must be pleasing and attractive. It must be lovely to look at, delightful to grow, and heavenly to handle. Its color must harmonize with what ever it is used.

Size is not so important in determining the commercial possibilities of a gladiolus. Some florists will take the small miniature varieties and combine their colors into beautiful designs and floral pieces, while another will want the largest spikes and florets he can get. He considers that with the larger flowers and stems he will need use less greens and other material in making the floral design, thereby making a saving, of time and money. Florists in different cities will differ in their judgement as to size and color of commercial gladiolus, but regardless of size and color they must have beauty that every one will recognize.

A variety must be capable of producing a good tall spike under average field conditions, with good healthy foliage that allows for cutting good long stems without injury to the corm or bulb growth. It must be able to withstand high temperatures without bud burning or wilting. The foliage must be of good color and texture that will remain green after cutting. The floret texture must be heavy in order to withstand handling and shipping.

The bulb must be able to withstand adverse weather conditions after planting in cold wet ground, in early spring, grow and produce good cutting spikes. The bulb must be disease resistant and be capable of reproducing itself by growing a new clean bulb without too much splitting or dividing. It must be able to produce a goodly number of fertile bulbets, making it profitable to grow the variety. Bulbs must be carefully harvested and stored and must be able to withstand different storage conditions. Seed houses buy bulbs by the thousands to supply their customers for home garden planting. Florists often buy bulbs to grow for his particular trade. The flower grower however who grows for the cut flower trade is the largest grower, and user of bulbs.

Today our accepted standards are for gladiolus that grow straight and tall, have several florets open, all facing correctly and placed in orderly fashion with a few buds showing color and more to open after spikes are cut and in water.

The floret attachment must be good and the petals must be of heavy texture so that in handling or shipping the spikes the florets are not easily bruised or pulled off. Some of our so called giant varieties are poor in this respect, while others have been improved by developing a shorter bud shank. Gladiolus with poorly attached florets are practically worthless for commercial purposes, they are hard to pack as the florets and buds break off too easily while being handled. So, it is important that a gladiolus variety has the ability to produce a high percentage of salable spikes with good color, several open, some buds showing color, some to open, well placed and spaced, together with good attachment to make a commercial variety. In the southern states a gladiolus does not rate commercially unless it stands heat well. It must not crook and its buds must not burn in the sun and it dare not wilt. Furthermore, it must stand shipping and it must open well in water from tight bud.

It might be said that a commercial gladiolus is one that can be grown for the purpose for which the customer wishes to use it. In short, it must be accepted and approved by the public.

Make it a point to visit your state gladiolus show, see and make a study of the newer, better varieties that are grown and shown. Compare them. You will find a great deal of pleasure I assure you. Better still, buy some bulbs of some good new varieties, grow them and show them. Sell your surplus cut flowers to your local florist or give them to your friends, your church or hospital. A pleasant surprise awaits you. Our KEYSSTONE STATE SHOW will be held August 7 and 8, 1948.

### FRAGRANT GLADIOLUS. — WHY NOT?

Perhaps you have been perfectly satisfied with the ethereal beauty of America's favorite flower, THE GLADIOLUS," without considering how much more exquisite it would be, if it had fragrance.

Certainly if fragrance were added THE MODERN GLADIOLUS would be superior in every respect. WELL . . . . FRAGRANCE HAS BEEN ADDED.

YES, You can now have the glorious beauty of the GLADIOLUS combined with a delicate fragrance different from that of any other flower.

These new and modern GLADIOLUS have real beauty and refinement. They grow tall and straight, and open four to eight or more flowers at a time, measuring four to six inches in diameter. They are indeed a great addition to any garden and an inspiration to grow. You will be proud of them. THEY ARE SUPERIOR IN EVERY RESPECT.

GOLDEN FRAGRANCE, FRILLED FRAGRANCE, DIADEM (Fragrant), PERFUME, SUMMER FRAGRANCE, and ROSE GEM, are all fragrant and are described in the following pages. Be sure to have some of them in your garden.

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## NEW INTRODUCTIONS FOR 1948

**BRANDYWINE.** Auchey Lantz. Picardy Sport. Orange salmon with wine red plume in throat. Informal type 5½ inch plain, triangular, wide open florets. 18-20 buds, 6-8 florets open 4-5 buds showing color. Flower head 28 inches, Field height 60 inches. Bulb production and germination excellent. Blooms in 80-85 days. This is the largest and the finest Picardy sport that I have seen. It is light orange-salmon in color with a deeper wine colored Picardy plume in throat. Florets grow larger than Picardy and are perfectly placed on tall growing spikes with healthy green foliage. This gladiolus has all the finer qualities of Picardy, in a deeper color that is not pink but orange. While most of the Picardy sports have a tendency to be lighter in color, this one is decidedly darker in color. Several shades darker and orange salmon rather than pink salmon. There is a decided demand for a strong, healthy, Picardy type glad with a better color. This is it. A real fine addition to the picardy sports. Price Each, for any size bulb, \$5.00. No discount. One bulb and 10 bulblets, \$10.00.

**EASTERN STAR.** Auchey-Lantz. Sport of Picardy sport. Beautiful light pink shading to cream white throat. Informal type 5½ inch plain, triangular, wide open florets. 20 buds, 7-9 florets open, 5-6 showing color. Flowerhead 28 inches; height in field, 60 inches. Bulb production and germination excellent. Blooms in 85-90 days. Some few years ago Mr. Auchey found a white Picardy sport similar to Leading Lady. However, before building up enough of stock to introduce it, Leading Lady was introduced, as a result, he gave up the idea of introducing it. Two years ago Mr. Auchey found the above introduction in his planting of the white Picardy sport.

It is one of the most beautiful gladiolus that I have ever seen. The color is a strikingly beautiful light pink, with a creamy white throat. It is an ideal florist variety, grows tall, straight and healthy. I believe it will become very popular, as it has what it takes. Price each, for any size bulb, \$5.00 No Discount. One bulb and 10 bulblets, \$10.00.

## 1948 CO-INTRODUCTION

**SNOW FLURRY.** (Clark-Moses) Picardy Sport. This is a lovely pure white Picardy Sport. It is so white that it has sometimes a blue cast. Informal type. The florets are large, five inches or more nicely ruffled and butterfly shaped. The florets may not be quite as large as Leading Lady or Silver Wings, but the florets are entirely different, much more triangular in shape, and crystal white. It grows tall, up to 60 inches and has a long flower head 23 to 28 inches, with 20 buds, 5 ivory white buds showing color, with 8 to 10 florets open. The florets are close to the stem with a short bud shank which make it easy to handle. It will make a fine commercial. Blooms in 85 days. Bulb production and germination excellent. A good producer and a healthy grower. I have not seen a more beautiful white. A fair quantity of stock permits a low introductory price. Large Bulbs, \$1.00 each; Medium, 75 cents each; Small, 50 cents each; Bulblets, 10 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.00.

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### RECENT INTRODUCTIONS

**366 ABIGAIL**—A very fine lavender, much like Minuet in color; tall, strong grower, fifty to sixty inch spike. Opens eight double row placement, good exhibition, and will make a fine commercial variety.

**316 AGLOW**—Salmon-buff, shading to deeper salmon outer petals. Feather on lower petal. Color is improved under artificial light. Three and one-half inch florets, tall slender spike, heavy propagator, germination good.

**440 ALLURE**—Bright flesh-pink, creamy yellow throat, opens nine to twelve, four and one-half inch slightly ruffled florets. Sixteen buds on four foot spike.

**560 ASTRID**—There is something really appealing about this clear midium colored rose variety, grows five feet tall with thirty-inch flower head. Opens 8-9 somewhat ruffled florets out of a total of about 23 buds. Good propagator and grower, grows well from small stock. A show winner.

**500 AVATRICE**—This white is sulphur toned, somewhat similar to Silver Wings. A Picardy Sport of much merit. Somewhat ruffled.

**467 BARBARA JANE**—This is a very fine, tall, deep lavender. It grows tall and it has a good color, fine for florists, vases and baskets. Not a fast propagator.

**539 BENGASI**—Beautiful LaFrance pink. The color deepens toward the edge of the petal and blends into a white throat. Seventy to seventy-five inches tall, flower head 36 inches. 18-22 buds on a spike 10 open, 9 showing color, 6-inch heavily ruffled florets, excellent texture. Buds close to stem, buds open well in water, blooms from any size bulb, yellow-green foliage, outstanding exhibition and commercial, does best in cool weather.

**400 BENISON**—Early white, tinted lavender, very beautiful, opens as many as ten, always well placed, medium sized florets, on plants 50 inches tall, good propagator, germination good.

**560 BERNADETTE**—Very beautiful, clear colored rosy flesh pink, creamy throat. Sport of Picardy. Very large, fine tall spike. Florets open well from tight buds. Very fine color, good all purpose glad. Informal type, 5½ inch plain, wide open florets, 20 buds, 6-8 florets open. 4-5 showing color, flower head 28 inches, field height, 60 inches, bulblet production and germination good.

**376 BETTER TIMES**—Light blue with white feather on lower petal. Good strong grower, medium tall spike, healthy foliage. A blue with a future.

**362 BETTY'S CHOICE**—Mauve rose, cream throat, similiar in color to Coutts Orchid. Beautiful color. Four inch florets, 6 open, 26 buds on fine tall spike.

**542 BIRCH RED**—The large pure deep red everyone has been looking for. Its sparkling beauty, purity of color, good habits and vigorous growth, place it in a class by itself. Excellent te ture stands heat well in field and opens well from light bud. Very good attachment, opens 7 on a 19 bud flowerhead. A good prize winner and a fine commercial variety.

**440 BLESSED DAMOSEL**—Glowing pink of distinctive shade, large blooms, lightly beautifully ruffled. Most beautiful pink. Opens 7 to 10. Propagation and germination good.

**540 BRIDESMAID**—Tall, large new salmon pink with cream throat. Good color, fine commercial cut flower that is becoming popular. Good propagator, good germination.

**562 BURMA**—Strikingly beautiful, heavily ruffled and fluted, deep rose. Opens 6 to 8 lovely florets, medium tall spike, opens very slowly, good keeper and shipper, should be cut in bud in extreme hot weather. Wonderful basket variety, goes well with white. Rapid increaser, good propagator, germination good.

**400 CASABLANCA**—Very fine ruffled white opens 6 to 8 florets on tall straight spikes, good commercial variety.

**543 CHERRY JAM**—Very fine salmon color with large cherry red blotch. Heavily ruffled. Opens 8 to 10 florets on tall spikes. Long flowerheads. Swell show flower.

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**441 CONNECTICUT YANKEE**—Large blush pink with small orange scarlet blotch. Opens 8 to 12 florets, with 4 showing color making a great show spike. Precise placement. One of the finest glads. Not a fast propagator.

**542 COVER GIRL**—Plain wide open, medium rose pink. Opens 8 to 10, 6 showing color, 5 to 5½ inch florets on long flower head. Strong grower and is one of the tallest. Large heavy foliage, good propagator, good germination. Fine exhibition and commercial. Flower head 30 inches, height in field 55-60 inches.

**422 CRACKER JACK**—Color is orange with a yellow throat and a strawberry red blotch. Formal type, 4½ inch plain round wide open florets. 14 to 16 buds, 6 florets open 5 to 6 showing color. Flower head 20 inches, height in field 48 inches. Bulblet and germination excellent.

**466 DEPENDABLE**—Fine cool shade of lavender with a darker lavender tongue in throat. Tall straight spike with 6 open and 6 in color. 4½ inch slightly ruffled florets. Dependable commercial even under adverse growing conditions. Fair propagator, germination excellent.

**462 DIADEM**—Fragrant. This glad rates very high in comparison with other modern gladiolus and even if it had no fragrance it would still be a beautiful worthwhile glad for any purpose. However its increasingly delicate fragrance makes it superior in every respect. It opens 9, 4½ to 5 inch florets with 5 or 6 buds showing color on 25 inch flower head with 19 buds. Furthermore it has a beautiful light orchid rose color with cream throat that every one loves so well. It has a delicate fragrance all its own which increases definitely as the flower continues to open after cutting. I look for this to become very popular as an exhibition and as a commercial cut flower variety, as well as a very fine home garden variety. It is healthy, propagates reasonably fast; germinates well and is definitely superior in every respect. It has been a prize winner for me and good reports are coming in from all parts of the country praising this variety. Better get a start now with this excellent fragrant glad.

**432 DIEPPE**—Firey scarlet salmon with darker blotch. Florets have unique shape and a beautiful color that is different. Opens 6 or 7 florets on a strong straight spike. Good propagator and germinator. One of the best of the newer varieties.

**511 DISCOVERY**—Heavily ruffled light yellow, sometimes flushed pink, with a small red star in the throat. Opens 5-6 large blooms at a time. A good commercial and a very beautiful variety.

**516 DR. WHITELY**—Clear yellowish apricot with golden yellow throat. Opens 7 large well placed florets on tall straight spikes. Good propagator and germinator. Fine commercial and exhibition variety becoming very popular.

**310 ELIZABETH MAIR**—Deep clear yellow. Medium sized florets on tall straight spikes with long flowerhead 22-25 inches. Opens 8-12 florets with 6 buds showing color. Height in field, 55-60 inches. Bulblet production and germination good. Fine exhibition and commercial variety. Nice color.

**431 EVENING LIGHT**—Peach pink with a cream throat and a rose blotch. Lovely color combination. Fine commercial variety. Opens 6 to 8 large plain petaled florets on tall spikes. Fair propagator and germinator. Evening Light with Lipstick and Margaret Beaton in a vase or basket is really lovely. Try it.

**507 EXCLUSIVE**—A giant wide open creamy white with a small rose blotch on lower petal Opens 6. Spikes are moderately tall. Graceful and delightful. Fine exhibition variety.

**440 FAY**—Very pretty pink with cream throat. Very early. Opens 7 well placed, slightly ruffled florets. Florets have very heavy substance. Fine commercial, good shipper. Heavy propagator. Often blooms from bulblets. Large bulbs from bulblets first year. Fine vigorous grower.

**432 FIRST LADY**—Tall growing deep salmon pink with small cream throat blotch. Stiff petals. Open 8 florets on a model spike. 5 inch ruffled round wide open florets. 18 to 20 buds, 5 showing color. Flowerhead 20 inches, field height 48 inches. Bulblet production and germination good.

**540 FORT TI**—Clear light pink somewhat flecked at times. Opens 6 to 8 on very tall fine spike. Sometimes not so well placed. Opens well to the tip. Bulblet production and germination good.

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**400 FRILLED FRAGRANCE**—A sport of New Era and a very beautiful white with cream tone. Here in Pennsylvania it is very fragrant. Opens 9 to 10 medium sized florets on medium tall spike. Nicely placed and is fine for florists, a good commercial. I believe it will be widely grown in the east when better known. It is a dandy and like other fragrant varieties it is superior in every respect.

**462 FUCHSIA BELLE**—Fuchsia Rose Red of a glistening American Beauty rose shade. Color is good and still better under artificial light. Five inch blooms on tall straight spike. Opens 8 to 10—20 to 22 buds. Flowerhead 25 to 30 inches.

**470 FUCHSIA QUEEN**—Nice fuchsia purple color. Opens 7 medium sized florets on tall straight spike. Good healthy grower; fine exhibition and commercial color. Good show winner.

**430 GAVOTTE**—A beautifully frilled light pink shading to cream throat. One of the loveliest colored glads. Combines some of the colors of Moonstone and Greta Garbo. Heavily frilled and fine colors lends it a charm not found in other glads and makes it outstanding in its class. 6 or more 5 inch florets open on tall slender straight spikes. Formal type  $4\frac{3}{4}$  inch ruffled round wide open florets. 15 to 16 buds, 7 to 8 florets open; 3 showing color; flowerhead 18 inches; field height 46 inches. Bulb production and germination good.

**441 GENERAL DOUGLAS MacARTHUR**—Very beautiful light rose. Opens 8 round, lightly ruffled florets on tall strong growing spike. Good commercial variety and early. It is becoming more popular as an early pink cut flower.

**325 GLOW**—Glowing salmon orange, blending to a slightly lighter throat. 8 florets open; 5 showing color. Formal type  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inch; plain round, wide open florets. 19 buds, flowerhead 28 inches; field height 58 inches. Bulb production and germination good.

**530 GOAL**—Tall straight salmon pink. Opens 6-8, 5 inch florets on tall spikes. Heavy foliage; good grower; Healthy, good germinator and propagator; fine commercial.

**510 GOLDEN FRAGRANCE**—Very beautiful, slightly ruffled clear cream, yellow with deep yellow feathering in throat; pure clean color. Opens 6-8 large slightly ruffled florets which are always well placed and of fine texture. Florists consider it one of the finest cut flower varieties and it is most valuable for commercial purposes. It is very similar to Lady Jane. However it blooms about 2 weeks earlier. It has a very pleasing fragrance and a vase or basket in a room is very delightful. It blooms early which is in its favor. Due to its nice large florets, its fine clear yellow color and its delightful fragrance it is becoming very popular. 6 to 8 open; 4 to 6 buds show color; 14 to 16 buds on flowerhead 24 to 26 inches; field height 48 inches; bulb production good; germination excellent. Bloom in 70 days.

**516 GOLD STANDARD**—A giant sized golden buff, very beautiful florets with inner petals a pure clear golden yellow with the outer petals rich golden buff. The petals are somewhat ruffled and fluted which adds to the appealing color. 18 to 20 buds. Formal type;  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 inch round florets; 8 to 10 open with 6 to 8 buds showing color. Florets are well attached and have excellent texture. Flower head 24 inches; field height 54 inches. Good placement; tall, sturdy plant. bulb production and germination good.

**416 GRENADIER**—Light orange buff; grand tall spike; 7 to 10 florets open, 4 to 6 show color; 18 to 20 buds; flower head 26 inches; field height 60 inches; Bulb production and germination good. Fine exhibition and commercial variety. One of the best of the orange varieties.

**450 HAWKEYE RED**—Bright red sport of Vagabond Prince. Perhaps a bit larger with wider opened florets. Formal type with 8 florets open and 8 show color; 20 to 22 buds. Florets  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inch plain, round and wide open. Flowerhead 26 inches; height in field 50 inches. Bulb production and germination good. A real commercial medium red.

**400 HEAVENLY WHITE**—Sport of Rosa Van Lima. A sparkling pure white with no trace of cream, lavender overcast. Small lavender feather in throat. Opens 8 florets. Large and round on medium tall healthy spike. A real fine healthy white.

**376 HIGH LIFE**—Very nice light blue with deeper throat and white lips. Open 8 to 10 on tall straight spike.

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**466 HOOSIER LADY**—Nice rosy lavender. Comes in a color class that is not crowded. A lavender with a willowy type stem with 6 to 7 open florets; 18 to 20 buds; flower head 22 inches; height in field 50 inches. Good bulblet production and germination.

**466 HUNTRESS**—Fine early large type, light pinky lavender. Opens 8 large florets on a straight spike medium height. Its earliness and fine color make it an excellent commercial cut flower variety.

**536 INTRUDER**—Flame red with a small orange feather at the base of lower petals; it will open up to 10 florets. Grows tall and straight. Good propagator and germinator of bulblets. A show winner.

**440 IVY ROBERTSON**—Tall light pink with cream throat marked with bright red feather. Tall growing plant with very long flowerhead. Opens 9-10 florets with 5 buds showing color. Exceptionally good.

**532 JOURNEYS END**—One of the most beautiful glads. Color similar to Pfitzers Triumph. Deep salmon blending to deeper throat and with lighter petal margins. Opens 6 on medium tall straight spikes. 18 buds. 6 show color. Flowerhead 20 inches. Height in field 50 inches. Florets 5½-6 inches. Propagation slow, germination poor. Wonderful show glad. Prize winner.

**441 JUNE DAY**—This glad bloomed first in my garden. It is most valuable as it blooms a few days earlier than all other extra early glads. It has a nice clear pink color with small cherry blotch that makes it very attractive and fine for floral work. Good placement, fine substance and will stand shipping. A good early commercial. Tall, strong, healthy plant, straight spike. Good propagator. Germination good. Opens 6-7, 4½ inch round wide open florets. Long flowerhead.

**436 JUNE SCARLET**—An extra early commercial scarlet. Dark red tongue. Opens 5-6 florets. Five inch florets with 4-6 buds showing color; on 51 inch, strong, always straight, slender spikes. Healthy grower, good propagation. Germination good. It blooms in competition with shipped glads. Stock in great demand and scarce. Informal type with 16 buds. Flowerhead 20 inches.

**530 KELSEY**—Picardy sport. Light salmon blending to a clear cream yellow throat. No markings. Informal type 5½ to 6 inches ruffled and wide open florets. 20 buds 7 to 9 florets open 5 showing color. Flowerhead 30 inches, height in field 65 to 70 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent. A very fine picardy sport.

**452 KENWOOD**—Brilliant red with no markings. Opens 5 or 6 plain petaled florets on tall straight spikes. Long flowerheads. Good propagation. Good commercial.

**524 KESTREL**—Light orange salmon, creamy throat, informal type 4½ to 5½ inch florets. 20 buds, 8 to 10 florets open, 4 showing color. Flowerhead 24 inches, height in field 60 to 65 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent. Color is unique and a fine addition to a rather weak color class.

**532 KING ALFRED**—Large salmon orange with cream blotch, white midribs. Informal type with 16 buds. Opens 6, 5 to 6 inch florets. Plain and wide open. Flowerhead 21 inches. Height in field 48 inches. Bulblet production and germination good. Robust grower, stands heat well. Fine commercial color.

**412 KLONDIKE**—Deep Golden yellow, informal type. Opens 6 to 8 five-inch florets which are heavily ruffled and fluted, wide open florets of very heavy texture which stands the hottest sun. 18 to 20 buds, 7 show color. Flowerhead 24 inches. Field height 60 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent. Blooms early will make a fine commercial yellow.

**540 LADY LUCK**—Very popular Picardy Sport. Very appealing peaches and cream color, particularly fine for florists' work. Like many other Picardy Sports it has merit and should become widely grown.

**570 LANCASTER**—Clear dark purple, 8 lightly ruffled and waved florets open on tall, straight spikes. 5½ to 6 inch florets. Flowerhead 24 inches. Height in field 60 inches. Bulblet production good. Germination good. Fine exhibition and commercial color.

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**420 LANTANA**—Orange, shading to orange salmon, with a golden throat. A definitely new vivid color. Opens 7 to 9 well placed 5 inch florets with 5 buds showing color. Flowerhead 20 inches. Height in field 48 inches. Good propagation and germination. Fine commercial cut flower variety and a beauty in the home garden.

**466 LAVENDER PRINCE**—A new and distinct shade of lavender mauve. Opens 6 medium sized florets on long flowerheads. Splendid tall spikes. Fine propagator. Germination good. Becoming very popular as a commercial.

**406 LIDICE**—Beautiful clear ruffled cream. Opens 8 nice large florets on long flowerheads. Tall always straight spikes. My best late cut-flower cream.

**366 LUCKY**—Nice clear lavender with creamy white throat similar to Badger Beauty which it will probably replace as it blooms earlier. Fine commercial informal type. 6 to 7 open 4½ inch plain florets, 21 buds, 10 show color. Flowerhead 25 inches. Height in field 60 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent.

**340 MARGARET JANE**—Very beautiful light pink shading to creamy white throat with small lavender blotch. Opens 8 florets with five buds showing color. 20 inch flowerhead 16 to 18 buds. Florets are 4 inches. Height in field 50 inches. Bulblet production and germination good. Florists want every spike that I can produce.

**470 MARGARET WOOD**—Deep wine purple of unusual color. Very attractive. Flowers too large for commercial and sometimes poorly placed and spaced. Can't be beat for color. Very fine garden flower. Very showy.

**510 MARTHA DEANE**—Clear medium yellow with small red line in throat. Opens 8 florets with 5 showing color. 18 to 20 buds on 24 inch flowerhead. Grows 60 inches tall in field. Bulblet production and germination good. A fine addition to the yellows. Good commercial and show variety.

**400 MARY KATHLEEN**—Truly a fine truly white. Just a trace of lavender in throat. Opens 10 to 12 florets, making a fine show flower. 4½ inch florets. 18 to 20 buds. Flowerhead 28 inches. Height in field 55 inches. Fine exhibition and commercial variety. Good propagator. Germination good.

**416 MAYLING**—Pale light pinky buff with lavender tint. Opens 8 perfectly placed 4½ to 5 inch florets of heavy substance and beautifully ruffled. Tall slender straight spikes. Fine commercial and show flower. Good producer of bulblets. Germination good.

**566 MINSTREL**—A gorgeous light lavender. Sometimes flecked darker. Giant sized 6 to 6½ inch ruffled, needlepoint butterfly formed florets. 5 to 6 open on 24 inch flowerhead. Height in field 55 to 60 inches. Bulblet production and germination good. Excellent commercial.

**540 MISS VERMONT**—Light pink tinted lavender shading to somewhat deeper throat. Opens 8-10 ruffled wide open 6 inch florets. Flowerhead 22 inches. 21 buds, 6 showing color. Height in field 50-55 inches, good propagation. Good germination. Good substance. Opens well in water. Fine commercial and show variety. A really beautiful variety.

**460 MISS WISCONSIN**—A beautiful bright new shade of lavender rose. Opens 6-8, 5 inch florets. 24 inch flowerhead. Five buds show color, 20 buds. Height in field 50 inches. Propagation and bulblet production too slow to keep up with the tremendous demand. And it will be some time before supply will be caught up on account of its superior quality as an exhibition and cut flower variety. Introduced in 1943 it is still winning grand championships. A consistent performer in a class by itself.

**436 MOUNTAIN GEM**—Fine new scarlet red, with florets often having a light picotte edging. Six or seven open, formal type, 5½ inch plain round and wide open florets. 18 buds. 5 showing color. Flowerhead 25 inches. Height in field 60 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent. Fine floret shape and good attachment. Considered an improvement on Algonquin.

**466 MYRNA FAY**—Grand orchid lavender, slightly darker in throat. Formal type 5 to 5½ inch ruffled wide open florets. 19 buds 9-10 open, 5 showing color. Flowerhead 30 inches. Height in field 55 inches. Bulblet production and germination good. This will make a fine commercial cut flower variety as it is just the color florists want. Blooms early.

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**430 NOWADAYS**—Soft salmon rose. Opens 7, five to five and one half inch florets. 26 inch flowerhead with 18 to 20 buds. Tall straight spikes. Fine new colored glad with good habits, and a consistently good performer. Bulblet production good. Very attractive glad similar to Smiling Maestro.

**420 OCTOBER SUNSHINE**—Very lovely light orange shading to yellow throat. Blends of yellow and orange are beautiful and so this glad is properly named. It is appropriately named for its color rather than its season of bloom. It is an early bloomer. Owing to its beauty; its color value; its ability to open well in water; its ease of propagation and its ability to produce fine tall straight spikes; it is sure to become a valuable commercial variety. Opens 5 to 6 4½ inch slightly ruffled wide open florets on 18 bud spike with 8 showing color. Flowerhead 25 inches. Field height 52 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent.

**422 ORANGE GOLD**—An unusual striking orange gold color with golden throat, satisfying deep orange yellow color especially at a distance. Close up it is more orange and somewhat coarser as it is large and showy. One of the largest and tallest growing varieties. Informal type. Opens 6 wide open florets out of 16 buds with four showing color on rather short flowerheads, but exceptionally tall spikes. 60 or more inches in field not uncommon. Bulblet production and germination excellent. And it is said to be an excellent seed parent, for producing good yellows. Don't overlook this fine general purpose glad.

**324 ORANGE PRINCE**—Sport of Vagabond Prince. Bright orange red with a flame blotch. Grows very similar to Vagabond Prince, chief difference is in its color. Formal type, 20 to 22 buds with 8 florets open and 8 buds showing color. 4 inch florets plain round and wide open. Flowerhead 25 inches. Height 50 inches. Bulblet production and germination good.

**421 ORANGOLD**—Light orange yellow, can be used as a florists yellow. Tall strong growing plant with healthy foliage. Opens 5-6 florets with 5-6 buds showing color on a 21 bud spike. 5 to 5½ inch florets, round wide open and lightly ruffled. Bulblet production and germination excellent. A real fine commercial cut flower variety.

**506 ORIENTAL PEARL**—This is a giant pure cream, probably the largest, tallest and strongest cream in existence. Opens 4 to 6 or more florets of very heavy texture. Wide open florets sometimes reaching 7 inches in diameter. 18 to 20 buds on medium to tall spikes. I have had some short spikes and some very tall spikes, but always with 6 wide open perfectly placed beautiful large round wide open florets. This has proved to be a good commercial and exhibition variety in the middle west where it probably does better than here in the east.

**540 PHANTOM BEAUTY**—Lovely clear light pink that opens 8 to 10 large 5½ inch ruffled florets on tall spikes with perfect placement. One that the florists go for in a big way. Already has a fine show record and it will make a great commercial. Really a beauty and well named. 22 buds with 8-10 open and six showing color. Flowerhead 32 inches. Height in field 60 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent.

**542 PINK PICARDY**—Nice clear deep pink Picardy Sport. Somewhat darker than Picardy. Strong healthy grower, considered much better than Picardy by commercial cut flower growers. A fine addition to the picardy sports.

**532 PIONEER**—Deep salmon pink blending to cream throat. Tall strong growing, healthy foliage. Formal type, 6 inch plain wide open florets. 8 open with 4 showing color on 18 to 20 bud spike. Flowerhead 28 inches. Height in field 65 inches. Bulblet production heavy, germination good. Fine show glad and a good commercial.

**560 PROSPERITY**—Ruffled sport of Picardy. Beautifully colored light rose. Informal type, 5½ inch ruffled wide open florets. 7 to 8 florets open, 4-5 showing color on 20 bud spike. Flowerhead 28 inches. Field height 60 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent. This is one exceptionally fine Picardy Sport.

**450 RED CHERRY**—Medium cherry red, slightly darker in throat. Somewhat lighter than Red Charm, and very much earlier to bloom. 6 to 7 open on tall straight graceful spike. Informal type 5 inch slightly ruffled round wide open florets. 4 buds showing color. 16 to 18 buds. 22 inch flowerhead. Height in field 50 inches. Bulblet production and germination good. A fine early red that will be a popular commercial on account of its earliness and fine color.

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**450 RED EAGLE**—A red with a sort of grayish cast which makes it different from other reds. Makes tall spikes with large florets. A really nice red.

**452 RED FOX**—Tall growing late red. Some very nice spikes of it last summer. Some not so good. Withhold further comments and discription for later appraisal.

**536 RED PLUSH**—Very large clear salmon scarlet. 5-6 very flat wide open florets on tall spike of 16 buds. Blooms best from larger sized bulbs.

**470 RED ROSE**—Very large 7 inch florets on this deep fuchsia red rose glad. Coloring exquisite Performance good.

**362 ROSE GEM**—Fragrant. Rose gem is a galaxy of color and style. Color is clear light rose with a large cream blotch. Five open on tall slender spikes. 4 buds showing color. Florets are 3½ inches. A truly beautiful decorative variety everyone loves. Fine propagator and germination excellent.

**566 ROSE O'DAY**—An unusual shade of Rose lavender that is distinctive in color. Massive in size and robust in growth. It opens 10 large rosy lavender florets on a formal double row arrangement on tall arrow-like spikes. 5 buds show color. 24 inch flowerhead. Height in field 55 inches. Bulblet production and germination excellent. Blooms early and it looks to me like one of the best commercial and exhibition varieties in the rose color class.

**440 SALUTATION**—Very fine clear light pink with small rose blotch in throat. Opens 6-8 round florets, slightly ruffled and fluted, of heavy texture, on nice straight medium tall spikes. Fine florist color and a good early commercial cut flower variety.

**401 SILVER STAR**—A large pure white with bright purple shading to purple blotch. Formal type. 6 to 8, five to six inch slightly ruffled florets. 6 buds show color. Heavy stiff spike with 16 to 18 buds, 25 inch flowerhead. 55 inches tall in field. Bulblet production good. Germination good. Tall healthy grower. Top-notch exhibition and commercial variety. Looks like a silver star with a purple heart.

**500 SILVER WINGS**—Picardy Sport. Pure white with small light yellow throat. Informal type. 8-10, 5½ to 6 inch florets open on tall spike of 65 to 72 inches. Flowerhead 30 inches. 18 to 20 buds, 4 buds show color. Bulblet production heavy. Germination good. Exceptionally fine commercial and exhibition variety. One of the finest whites.

**413 SPOTLIGHT**—Deep yellow with small scarlet blotch. Making it an unusually attractive and distinctive variety. Opens 6-7, five inch blooms on tall slender spikes of 52 inches. Flowerhead 24 inches. 4-5 buds show color. Germination and bulblet production excellent. Just about the best yellow that I know of, exceptionally popular both as exhibition and commercial variety. Florists buy every spike available. Bulbs and bulblets always sold up.

**530 SPRINGTIME**—Picardy Sport and one of the finest that I have seen. This is called an apple blossom pink. It is a new and deeper pink than Picardy. I would call it rose pink. It is a solid color without throat markings. It opens more than Picardy. 8-10, 6 inch florets open and all the buds show color. Makes a beautiful showing. One spike is a bouquet in itself. A dandy commercial color, and a very fine addition to the Picardy Sports.

**352 SUMMER FRAGRANCE**—Fragrant. Beautiful decorative dark rose pink, with cream throat. Florets 3½ inches, ruffled. Opens 4-6 on tall straight spike. This variety is very fragrant and a good seed producer. Good for hybridizing.

**542 SUMMER GAL**—Lovely large shimmering geranium pink with a rose feather in throat. A striking glad that florists like. A good commercial. It grows tall spikes with 6-8 6-inch florets open. A fine exhibition variety. Has great merit.

**417 SUN SPOT**—Beautiful light apricot-buff, with an attractive rose spot in throat. It will consistantly open 7 to 9 five inch ruffled florets on tall straight spikes. 55-60 inches tall in the field. 22-24 inch flowerhead, 16-18 buds, five showing color. Florets are well placed and nicely spaced. Good texture, stands heat well. A really fine outstanding glad that everyone will want to grow. It has a fine show record and was grand champion at the International Show, Binghamton 1947. It is a good commercial and a grand exhibition variety. It is a vigorous grower, producing healthy bulbs and plenty of bulblets which germinate and grow easily. Destined to become one of the most popular all purpose varieties.

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**416 SUSQUEHANNA**—Clear peach buff with creamy throat, clear bright unusual color that everyone likes. Opens 8 five inch florets on tall 48 inch spikes. Always straight. Good long flowerhead. 5 buds show color. Fine commercial and good exhibition variety. Bulb production and germination good.

**500 THE BRIDE**—Pure white with lavender blotch in throat. Perfect placement and facing with florets well attached to stem. Excellent shipper, stands heat, should become a leading commercial cut flower variety. Formal type. 5½ inch plain wide open florets. 18 buds, 8 open, 6 show color. Flowerhead 31 inches. Height in field 60 inches. Bulb production and germination good.

**460 VENIDA**—Beautiful lavender rose with large creamy white blotched center. Opens 8 florets. The five inch florets are ruffled and fluted and it is a good grower and propagator. Exquisitely beautiful for vase or basket. Outstanding commercial qualities. 24-28 buds, 5 show color. Long flowerhead. Height 50-55 inches.

**580 VOO DOO**—Very large ruffled and fluted plum colored smokey. Tall straight spikes. Splendid grower and performer. Bulb production and germination good.

**436 WAR PAINT**—Beautiful dark scarlet. Opens up to 10 florets on a 22 bud spike. Tall straight healthy spike. Good commercial and exhibition variety. A prize winner.

**430 WESTERN STAR**—Picardy sport. Deep clear salmon. Deeper than Picardy. Blends to a soft yellow throat without any blotch or penciling. Tall strong healthy grower. Good exhibition and commercial. Fine Picardy Sport.

**440 YANKEE LASS**—Beautiful shade of light shell pink without markings. Opens 8-10, well placed, 5½ inch florets on spikes that grow 60 inches tall. Long flowerhead, straight stem good propagation. Germination good. A sister seedling of Connecticut Yankee. A glad that is hard to beat. A show winner. One of the best.

**466 ZALLADEE**—New brilliant deep lavender with cream lower petals. Beautiful color combination. Very striking orchid like 5 inch florets on tall straight spikes. 6 to 8 open. 5 show color. 24 inch flowerhead. Bulb production and germination good. A real florist variety. Should become very popular.

## KEYSTONE STATE GLADIOLUS SOCIETY

The Keystone State Gladiolus Society invites everyone who is interested in gladiolus to become one of its members. Membership entitles you to participate in all the activities of the society including our fine Keystone State Gladiolus Show which will be held August 8th and 9th, 1948, perhaps at Lebanon or Lancaster, Pa. Arrangements for the show have not as yet been completed. Full information will be given upon request.

The Keystone State Gladiolus Society is affiliated with the North American Gladiolus Council and as an affiliate member you will be entitled to the very fine bulletin published four times a year in the interest of gladiolus. These bulletins will keep you well informed on all phases of gladiolus culture, including new varieties, trial garden reports, various state and international show reports and many other things pertaining to the gladiolus.

The North American Gladiolus Council is co-sponsor of the great Eastern International Gladiolus show held at Binghamton, New York, August 17th and 18th, 1948. This is the largest and best gladiolus show in the world. Plan to be there with your best spikes.

Affiliate membership is \$1.50 per year. Out of state individuals may join without affiliation with N.A.G.C. for \$1.00 per year as they already enjoy this affiliation through their state societies. Please send your application for membership to the secretary, Herman F. Thompson, 401 North Ninth Street, Lebanon, Pa., or to me and I will forward it.

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RETAIL PRICE LIST

Ten bulbs at 8 times the single price. 100 bulbs at 8 times the ten price. Following the color code number is the name of the variety, name of the originator, year of introduction, and blooming date as classified by North American Gladiolus Council.

						Per Each Bulb			Bulblets		
						L	M	S	1	10	100
366	Abigail.....	Myr	44	85		\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$.40	\$3.00	\$
320	Acca Laurentia.....	Hol	42	70		.25	.20	.15		.20	1.60
316	Aglow.....	Rid	46			.75	.50	.25		.50	
532	Aladdin.....	Pa	38	85		.10	.07	.05			.75
536	Algonquin.....	Pa	39	80		.10	.07	.05			.75
440	Allure.....	Nic	46			2.00	1.50	1.00	.40		
416	Alsace.....	Ben	41	81		.25	.20				
400	Anna Mae.....	Pom	40	70		.10	.07	.05		.15	
560	Astrid.....	Ja	46	77		1.50	1.00	.75	.20	1.50	
440	Avalon.....	Mar	40	90		.15	.10	.05			.80
500	Avatrice.....	Sjerps	47	85		1.50	1.00	.50	.15		
466	Badger Beauty.....	Kru	41	95		.15	.10	.05			.80
423	Bancroft Winsor.....	Win	41	90		.35	.25	.15		.25	2.00
467	Barbara Jane.....	Hed	43	95		.30	.20	.10		.25	2.00
436	Beacon.....	Pa	35	90		.10	.07	.05			.75
530	Bengasi.....	Cv	43	85		3.00	2.00	1.00	.25	2.00	
400	Benison.....	Pa	43	80		.35	.25	.15		.25	
560	Bernadette.....	Silva	47	90		3.00	2.00	1.50	.25	2.00	
376	Better Times.....	K&M	46			.50					
362	Betty's Choice.....	Har	45	100		1.00	.75	.50			
541	Big Top.....	Rich	42	80		.15	.10	.05			.75
577	Bingo.....	Ca	38	90		.10	.07	.05			.75
542	Birch Red.....	Rich	45	90		3.00	2.00	1.00	.30	2.00	
354	Black Opal.....	E	36	92		.10	.07	.05			.75
440	Blessed Damosel.....	Ba	44	95		.25	.15	.10			1.80
476	Blue Beauty.....	Pf	36	75		.10	.07	.05		.15	
520	Bobby Dazzler.....	Both	42	80		.20	.15	.10			1.50
525	Bolero.....	Le	41	85		.15	.10	.05		.20	1.50
540	Bridesmaid.....	Whe	45	80		.65	.45	.25	.10	.65	
562	Burma.....	Pa	43	88		.25	.20	.15		.25	2.00
341	Camellia.....	Pa	37	95		.10	.07	.05			.50
541	Candy Heart.....	S	38	83		.15	.10	.05			.75
460	Cape Cod.....	Win	42			.50	.30	.20		.25	
440	Cape Heart.....	Win	38	80		.10	.07	.05			.75
400	Casablanca.....	Maj	44	95		.15	.10	.05		.15	
460	Chamouny.....	Ba	38	85		.15	.10	.05			.75
360	Charmaine.....	Ne	40	75		.15	.10	.05			.80
543	Cherry Jam.....	Z	43	80		.50	.35	.25		.40	
530	Colossus.....	Mit	37	80		.10					
441	Connecticut Yankee.....	Shn	44	90		2.00	1.50	1.00	.25	2.00	
570	Convoy.....	Pa	42	85		.15	.10	.05			1.00
430	Cooney Lass.....	Kru	40	75		.15	.10	.05			.75
424	Coral Glow.....	El	37	88		.10	.07	.05			.80
560	Corona.....	Pa	40	80		.10	.07	.05			.75
560	Coutts Orchid.....	Cts	41	85		.25	.20	.15			
542	Cover Girl.....	LaS	45	90		.50	.35	.20	.10	.50	
422	Cracker Jack.....	Allen	46	75		1.00	.75	.50	.10	1.00	
410	Crinkle Cream.....	El	40	86		.25					
466	Dependable.....	Spe	44			.25	.15	.10		.25	
462	Diadem.....	Lines	46	75		10.00	7.50	5.00	.50		
432	Dieppe.....	Hassel	45	85		.50	.35	.20		.40	
511	Discovery.....	Ba	43	85		.30	.20	.10		.30	
516	Dr. Whiteley.....	Ril		5		.25	.15	.10		.15	1.00
440	Dream Pink.....	Bran	42	96		.10	.07	.05			.75
310	Elizabeth Maier.....	Mai	44	85		1.25	1.00	.50		1.00	
566	Elizabeth the Queen.....	Whi	41	86		.15	.10	.05			1.00
440	Ethel Cave Cole.....	Cv	41	80		.10	.07	.05			.80

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				L	M	S	1	10	100
431	Evening Light.....	Win	43	\$ .75	\$ .50	\$ .25	\$	\$ .75	\$
507	Exclusive.....	Kru	45	.50	.35	.25		.50	
562	Exquisite.....	Both	40	.10	.07	.05			.75
400	Fair Angel.....	Ha	42	.20	.15	.10		.20	
440	Fay.....	Ja	45	.40	.25	.15		.35	2.70
432	First Lady.....	Rob	45	.50	.30	.20		.40	
451	Flagship.....	But	38	.15	.10	.05		.15	
540	Fort Ti.....	Web	43	.25	.20	.15		.25	
400	Frilled Fragrance.....	El	43	1.00	.75	.50			
462	Fuchsia Belle.....	Alm	47	1.25	1.00	.75	.15	1.00	
470	Fuchsia Queen.....	Vav	47	1.00	.75	.50		.75	
306	Gardenia.....	Sc	38	.10	.07	.05			.50
362	Garden of Nations.....	Win	39	.50	.35	.25			
430	Gavotte.....	Rob	46	1.50	1.00	.75	.20	1.50	
441	Gen. MacArthur.....	Ha	43	.25	.25	.15		.25	2.00
530	Glamis.....	Pa	40	.20	.15	.10		.15	.80
325	Glow.....	Howell	46	1.50	1.00	.75		1.50	
530	Goal.....	El	45	.50	.35	.25		.50	
412	Gold Dust.....	Pf	35	.10	.07	.05			.50
410	Golden Fragrance.....	Lantz	46	3.00	2.00	1.00		2.50	
516	Gold Standard.....	Bea	47	3.00	2.00	1.50	.35	3.00	
416	Grenadier.....	Pa	44	1.00	.60	.40	.10	.50	
440	Greta Garbo.....	Pf	37	.10	.07	.05			
416	Gunpowder.....	Sew	41	.25	.15	.10		.15	1.75
533	Harmau.....	Both	40	.10	.07	.05			1.00
450	Hawkeye Red.....	Hea	44	.20	.15	.10		.15	.75
400	Heavenly White.....	Moses	44	.40	.30	.20		.25	
580	High Finance.....	Wills	40	.15	.10	.05		.15	
476	High Life.....	K&M	46	.75	.50				
552	Hin's Memory.....	Pf	39	.10	.07	.05			.75
366	Hoosier Lady.....	Z	43	.50	.35	.25		.50	
440	Hopedale.....	Win	40	.20	.15	.10		.15	
466	Huntress.....	Ja	45	1.00	.70	.45	.10	.65	
424	Hurricane.....	Ev	42	.20	.15	.10		.15	
536	Intruder.....	Graff	44	1.50	1.00		.15	1.20	
580	Irak.....	Mit	37	.10	.07	.05			.75
466	Isola Bella.....	Pf	37	.20	.15	.10		.15	
440	Ivy Robertson.....	Bar	43	.20	.15	.10		.15	
440	Jeanel.....	H	41	.15	.10	.05			.75
440	Jeanie.....	Pru	41	.10	.07	.05			.75
433	Jean Hoxie.....	Kin	42	.15	.10	.05			.50
406	Jersey Cream.....	Ev	37	.10	.07	.05			.75
532	Journeys End.....	Ka	53	1.00	.75	.50			
452	Jules Amott.....	Wills	40	.10	.07	.05			.75
441	June Day.....	Rob	46	3.00	2.00	1.50	.40	1.20	
436	June Scarlet.....	Spen	45	.50	.35				
530	Kelsey.....	Yates	6	2.50	1.50	1.00	.25	2.00	
452	Kenwood.....	Lins	43	.15	.10	.05			
420	Kestrel.....	Pa	45	.75	.50	.25		.25	
532	King Alfred.....	Hobs	45	1.50	1.00	.50	.20	1.50	
552	King Click.....	Wills	41	.15	.10	.05			1.30
570	King Lear.....	Pa	38	.15	.10	.05			.80
530	King William.....	Shn	40	.10	.07	.05			.80
412	Klondike.....	Sny	47	3.00	2.00	1.00	.30	2.40	
440	Laddie.....	Will	40	.10	.07	.05			.80
406	Lady Jane.....	Lk	41	.10	.07	.05			.80
540	Lady Luck.....	Har	44	.50	.35	.25		.50	
470	Lancaster.....	Pa	44	.75	.50	.20		.50	
320	Lantana.....	Pa	43	.15	.10	.05			1.00
466	Lavender Prince.....	LaS	44	.50	.35	.20		.50	
506	Leading Lady.....	Joh	42	.20	.15	.10		.20	2.00
440	Legend.....	Fic	40	.15	.10	.05			1.00

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				Per Each Bulb			Bulblets		
				L	M	S	1	10	100
406	Lidice.....	Pa	43	90	5 .25	\$ .15	\$ .10	\$	\$ .25 \$2.00
441	Lipstick.....	Bal	41		.35	.25	.15		
366	Lucky.....	Ja	47	85	1.50			.25	
460	Magnolia.....	Pa	40	85	.10	.07	.05		.80
400	Maid of Orleans.....	Pf	42	80	.10	.07			
501	Margaret Beaton.....	T	37	85	.10	.07	.05		.80
340	Margaret Jane.....	Lantz	46	90	1.00	.75	.50	1.00	
470	Margaret Wood.....	Bea	47		1.00				
533	Marguerite.....	Pom	39	80	.10	.07	.05		
442	Marion Pearl.....	Ben	42	85	.75	.50	.25		
536	Marseillaise.....	Sc	41	95	.15	.10	.05		
410	Martha Deane.....	Guilles	46	85	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.00	
400	Mary Kathleen.....	Kin	44	80	.25				
550	Master Myron.....	Kru	40	95	.10	.07	.05		1.00
440	Mayling.....	Ha	43	85	.10	.07	.05		.80
566	Minstrel.....	Pa	44	85	1.00	.60	.40	1.00	
540	Miss Vermont.....	Ha	45	80	.75	.50	.25	.50	
460	Miss Wisconsin.....	Kru	43	90	.65	.50	.30	.50	
580	Misty Dawn.....	Rich	41	95	.25	.15	.10	.25	
454	Mohawk.....	Stv	40	85	.15	.10	.05	.15	
416	Moonstone.....	Ca	42	87	.25	.15	.10		
410	Mother Kadel.....	Kd	41	77	.10	.07	.05		
436	Mountain Gem.....	Requa	46		1.00	.75	.50	1.00	
330	Mrs. Howard Bow.....	Pa	40	95	.15	.10	.05	.15	
401	Mt. Index.....	Mil	42	68	.25	.20	.15	.25	
542	Marlyn.....	El	40	80	.50	.40	.35		
400	Myrna.....	Pru	39	80	.10	.07	.05		.75
466	Myrna Fay.....	Lines	46	75	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.00	
460	Nowadays.....	Graff	45	90	.50				
420	October Sunshine.....	Q	47	85	2.00	1.00	.50	.20 1.60	
532	Ogarita.....	Wills	42	90	.25	.20	.15		
422	Orange Gold.....	Mar	45	80	.75	.50	.25	.10 .25	
324	Orange Prince.....	Sn	45	80	.50	.30	.20		2.00
421	Orangold.....	Spe	44		.25	.15	.10	.10	
552	Oregon Red.....	Prur	40		.25	.15	.10	.10	
462	Oregon Rose.....	Mit	38	77	.15	.10	.05		
506	Oriental Pearl.....	Carl	46	85	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.50	
301	Perfume.....	Pra	41		.25				
540	Phanton Beauty.....	Bast	47	85	7.00	5.00	3.00	.80	
530	Picardy.....	Pa	31	90	.10	.07	.05		.75
542	Pink Parcardy.....	Earl	46	88	.20	.15	.10		1.00
440	Pink Radiancance.....	Q	41	85	.15				
390	Pinocchio.....	Ev	40	75	.10	.07	.05		.75
532	Pioneer.....	LaS	45	85	.50	.35	.20	.10 .50	
430	Prestige.....	Win	39	87	.10	.07	.05	.10	
560	Prosperity.....	Silva	47	85	3.00	2.00	1.50	.25 2.00	
470	Purple Supreme.....	Wills	42	85	.15	.10	.05	.15	
590	R.B.....	Upton	40	90	.10	.07	.05	.10	
436	Red Bank.....	Win	39	95	.20				
452	Red Charm.....	But	39	85	.15	.10	.05		1.00
450	Red Cherry.....	Rob	46	70	2.00	1.50	1.00	.25 1.80	
450	Red Eagle.....	Tho	44		.50	.35	.25		
452	Red Fox.....	Tho	43	100	1.00	.75	.50		
536	Red Plush.....	Ba	43	70	.25				
470	Red Rose.....	El			1.00	.75	.50		
540	Rima.....	Mit	37	90	.10				
523	Rio Rita.....	Lins	41	95	.25				
301	Robert Shippee.....	Win	40	90	.10	.07	.05		1.00
451	Rocket.....	Pa	41	85	.10	.07	.05		.80
560	Rose Ruffles.....	Ha	42	85	.35	.25	.15	.30 2.00	
461	Rosa Van Lima.....	Pf	40	80	.10	.07	.05		1.00
362	Rose Gem.....	Fic	45	70	.25	.20	.15		

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					Per Each Bulb			Bulblets		
					L	M	S	1	10	100
566	Rose O'Day.....	Fic	44	70	\$ .50	\$ .35	\$ .25	\$	\$ .25	\$2.00
442	Rosy Morn.....	Ril	40	80	.50	.35	.25		.50	
410	Ruffled Beauty.....	Pr	36	85	.15	.10	.05		.15	1.00
440	Salutation.....	Ba	44	80	.15	.10	.05			1.50
560	Sensation.....	Mar	39	105	.15	.10	.05			
401	Silentum.....	Pf	41	80	.10	.07	.05			1.00
401	Silver Star.....	Sn	45	90	.50					
500	Silver Wings.....	Rit	44	88	1.00	.80	.60		.80	
400	Snowbound.....	El	42	80	.75	.50	.35		.50	
400	Snow Princess.....	Pf	39	80	.10	.07	.05			.80
432	Spitfire.....	Ev	42	80	.50	.35	.20		.30	
413	Spotlight.....	Pa	44	80	.50	.35	.25		.50	
530	Springtime.....	Horn	47	85	1.00	.75	.50		1.00	
540	Stella Antisdale.....	Ev	40	80	.10	.07	.05			.75
352	Summer Fragrance.....	Z	45	75	.25	.20				
542	Summer Gal.....	Z	44	75	3.00	2.00	1.00	.25	2.00	
542	Summerwealth.....	He	40	90	.10	.07	.05			1.00
417	Sun Spot.....	Rob	45	80	2.00	1.50	1.00		2.00	
400	Surfside.....	Win	37	92	.10	.07	.05			1.00
416	Susquehanna.....	Her	43	90	.20	.15	.10			1.25
440	Silvia Twing.....	Win	42		.10	.07	.05			1.00
510	Tahlahneka.....	Ka	42	85	.25	.20	.15		.25	
500	The Bride.....	Pru	45	85	4.00					
400	Trylon.....	Pa	42	95	.25	.15	.10			
407	Vee Cream.....	Vv	39	95	.10	.07	.05			1.00
460	Venida.....	Mila	47		4.00	3.00	2.00	.50		
580	Voodoo.....	Ka	44	80	.50	.35	.25		.40	
470	Vulcan.....	Stev	42	80	.15	.10	.05		.15	
406	Wanda.....	Sny	41	83	.10	.07	.05			.80
436	War Paint.....	Ka	47	95	3.00	2.00	1.00	.30		
430	Western Star.....	Daines	47	90	1.00	.75	.50			
506	White Gold.....	Sc	41	70	.15	.10	.05			1.00
443	Wings of Song.....	El	36	90	.10	.07	.05			.75
406	Winston.....	Pa	41	80	.10	.07	.05			1.00
440	Yankee Lass.....	Sch	46	80	5.00	3.50	2.00	.65	5.00	
466	Zelladee.....	Ka	46	85	.75					

UNLABELED COLLECTION OF ASSORTED GLADIOLUS

Many who love flowers desire to plant Gladiolus, but do not care to label the different varieties. For this reason we have made up the following unlabeled collections. Many different varieties are included in many good colors. However, if you have a preference for certain colors, just mention it and I shall try to please you. All are very good varieties and would cost much more if labeled separately.

RAINBOW COLLECTION

Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs	Small Bulbs
25—\$1.50	25—\$1.25	25—\$1.00
50—\$3.00	50—\$1.75	50—\$1.25
100—\$5.00	100—\$2.75	100—\$2.00
200—\$9.00	200—\$5.00	200—\$3.00

EXHIBITION COLLECTION

Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs	Small Bulbs
25—\$2.50	25—\$1.50	25—\$1.25
50—\$5.00	50—\$2.50	50—\$1.50
100—\$10.00	100—\$5.00	100—\$3.00
200—\$18.00	200—\$9.00	200—\$5.00

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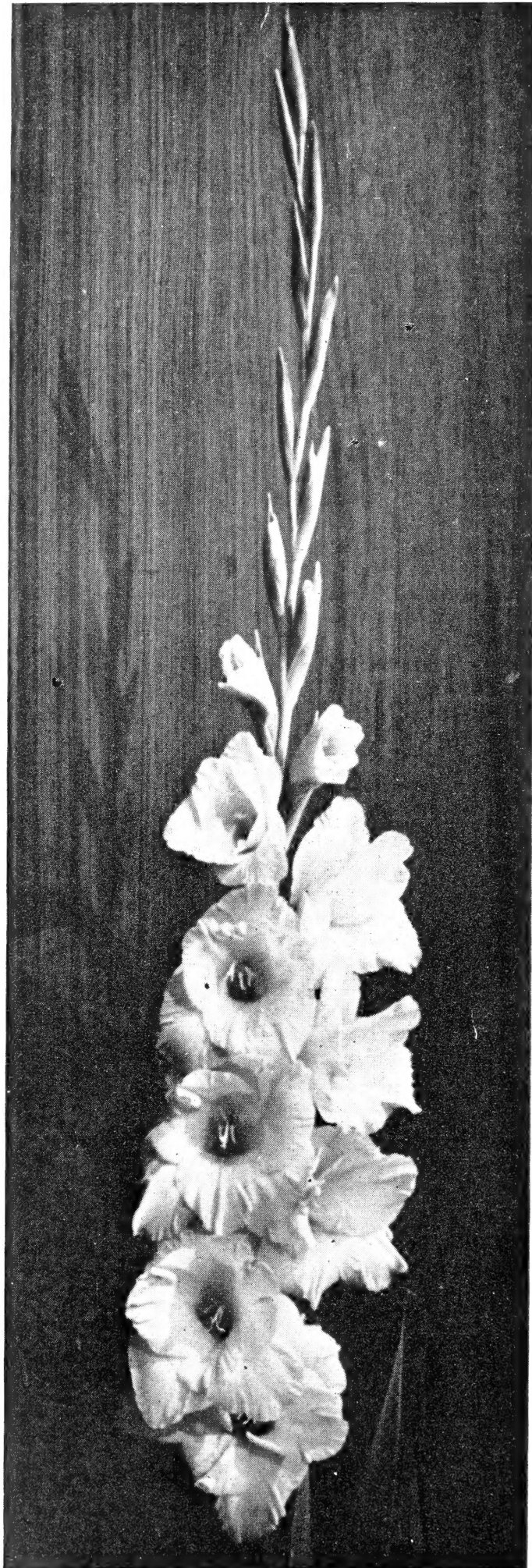
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\$5.00 each Unit. \$4.75 each Unit for 5 Units or more. \$4.50 each Unit for 10 Units or more  
For convenience order by Unit number.

Unit		Large	Medium	Small	Bulbletts
1	Acca Laurentia.....	10	10	10	100
2	Bancroft Winsor.....	10	10	10	100
3	Benison.....	5	5	10	100
4	Big Top.....	10	20	50	200
5	Burma.....			100	100
6	Candy Heart.....	15	15	15	100
7	Convoy.....	10	20	20	200
8	Doctor Whiteley.....	10	10	10	100
9	Elizabeth the Queen.....	15	15	15	100
10	General Douglas McArthur.....	10	10	10	100
11	Golden Fragrance.....	1	1	1	5
12	Gun Powder.....	10	10	10	100
13	June Day.....	1		1	5
14	Leading Lady.....	10	10	10	100
15	Margaret Jane.....	1	2	5	10
16	Martha Deane.....			5	10
17	Miss Wisconsin.....			10	50
18	Myrna Fay.....	1	1	1	10
19	Oriental Pearl.....	1	1	3	10
20	Orange Gold.....	2	2	2	25
21	Pink Picardy.....	10	10	10	100
22	Spotlight.....	5	5	5	50
23	Rose Ruffles.....			25	150
24	Silver Wings.....	1	1	5	25
25	Snow Princess.....	25	25	25	200
26	Stella Antisdale.....	25	25	25	200
27	Susquehanna.....	10	10	10	100
28	Wanda.....	20	25	25	100
29	White Gold.....	10	15	20	200
30	Winston.....	10	10	10	200

REGAL LILLIES

Very beautiful large white fragrant blooms with a rose purple flush. Trumpet type, blooms in June and July, in time for June Weddings. Lilies are beautiful almost anywhere in the garden. Plant in groups among perennials, low border shrubs, or banked against low growing evergreens. They should be planted 6 to 8 inches deep and 10 to 12 inches apart in a cool moist soil with good drainage. They should have a mulch of leaves, peat moss, or a thick low growing ground cover. They are hardy and may remain in the ground over winter. Plant in early spring. Plan to grow some of these beauties this summer. You will be pleased with them. Large blooming size bulbs only. Price each bulb 35 cents; three bulbs for \$1.00; twelve bulbs for \$3.50; twenty-five bulbs for \$6.00; fifty bulbs for \$12.00. Shipped by express.



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